

ALSTONEFIELD VILLAGE HALL CONCERTS

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**24
March**

Robinson & Rohe + Kate Ellis

A double-dose of genuine Americana! Liam Robinson (an original US cast member of Warhorse' and musical director of Anaïs Mitchell's off-Broadway folk opera 'Hadestown') with honey-voiced Jean Rohe; joined for this show by a very special guest - Louisiana-born **Kate Ellis**, described by Americana UK as a "genuine talent" and her debut album as "simply superb".



**28
April**

Aynsley Lister

Regarded as one of the UK's finest proponents of rocking blues - and the only British artist to be featured in Classic Rock's Top 10 Contemporary Blues Rock Artists - this is a rare chance to see Aynsley up-close and personal in a stripped down, intimate setting.

"His guitar playing is a fire hazard" MOJO



**12
May**

Dan Walsh Trio

Nominated for best musician at last year's BBC Folk Awards, Dan plays an eclectic mix of Irish and American music delivered with a healthy dose of funky grooves. Dan is joined for this tour by respected fiddler player Ciaran Algar and mandolinist, Nic Zupparidi.

"Absolutely terrific" Mark Radcliffe, BBC Radio 2

**26
May**

Jon Allen Band

To coincide with the launch of his new album, **Blue Flame** on 18 May (already BBC Radio 2 playlisted), Jon returns to Alstonefield for the third time, this time with his full band. A special treat indeed to see an artist of Jon's calibre, with his touring band, in such an intimate venue.

"One of the most amazing voices I've heard" Jools Holland



**23
June**

Natalie Duncan

Returning by popular demand, jazz/soul singer and superb pianist, Natalie was mentored by and collaborated with Guy Chambers on the BBC2 series Goldie's Band: By Royal Appointment. An appearance on BBC TV's 'Later with Jools Holland' followed.

"Her music warms hearts" Ents24

**30
June**

Piva in concert in St Peter's Church, Alstonefield 7.30pm

& Tudor Fair
11am - 4pm

Firmly established as a leading early music ensemble Piva have gained a reputation for their lively performances and entertaining shows. Part of Alstonefield's 'Anne Green' Tudor Festival. **Tickets online or call 01335 310453.**





**14
July**

Vikki Clayton

When the legendary guitarist Jerry Donahue of Fairport Convention heard Vikki sing, he was moved to tears because she sounded so much like the late Sandy Denny. What followed was a long period of appearing with Fairport Convention and fronting the newly re-formed Fotheringay. Six solo albums later, Vikki has recently released her latest album, 'Messenger'.

**4
August**

Downhome@Hopedale Farm

A day of musical merriment in the company of **Tom McConville, Martyn Wyndham-Read and annA rydeR**. Includes buffet style lunch. Licensed bar at the Watts Russell Arms at the end of the drive!

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**18
August**

Gordon Giltrap

Renowned acoustic and electric guitarist and composer, whose musical styles cross several genres, including folk, blues, folk rock, pop, classical and rock. His hit single 'Heartsong' was the theme tune for the BBC 'Holiday' TV series.

"A modern day master of the acoustic guitar" **Guitar Magazine**

**29
Sept**

Ruth Notman + special guests

Dan Britton & Chris Conway

Ruth is a past BBC Young Folk Awards finalist from Nottinghamshire whose debut album *Threads* received nationwide acclaim when it was released in 2007. She's joined **exclusively** for this show by two stellar-musicians who wowed Alstonefield audiences in 2017 when they accompanied Sally Barker.



**20
Oct**

Amy Wadge

Returning to Alstonefield two years after her last sell-out show, Amy is a **Grammy Award**-winning singer-songwriter who in February 2016 won Song of the Year for co-writing Ed Sheeran's worldwide hit, *Thinking Out Loud*. Her latest success is having four songs on Kylie Minogue's latest album!

"An irresistible, riveting performer" **Bob Harris, BBC Radio 2**

**23
Nov**

Dave Pegg & A J Clarke

When musical virtuoso Dave Pegg, with decades of experience in bands such as Fairport Convention and Jethro Tull, bumped into Anthony John Clarke, one of the most entertaining and amusing raconteurs and songwriters on the scene, something special was bound to happen - and it does!



**8
Dec**

John Tams & Barry Coope

John Tams has had a career spanning four decades in every performance medium. He is a former member of the Albion Band and Home Service, six times winner of the BBC Radio 2 Folk Awards, and songwriter for the **War Horse** theatre production. Tams is joined by his musical colleague of many years, the widely respected singer and keyboard player, Barry Coope.

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